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SUBJECT: BIB/RFE NEGOTIATIONS: CUNHA REGO PROPOSAL

REF: (A) LISBON 0078; (B) LISBON 100, (C) STATE 299835 (1976)

1. CABINET SECRETARY CUNHA REGO CALLED CHARGE JAN 7 RE RARET CONTRACT. SAID HE AND ALEGRE WERE CONSIDERING EITHER ABOLISHING MAJ. FIGUEIREDO'S STUDY COMMITTEE ENTIRELY, OR REMOVING FIGUEIREDO AS HEAD BUT LETTING COMMITTEE CONTINUE. THIS APPROACH, HE SAID, COULD BE STICKY SINCE IT MIGHT LEAD TO UNHELPFUL PUBLICITY AND DEMAGOGUERY IMPLYING THAT GOP WAS CAVING IN.

2. CUNHA REGO ASKED WHAT OUR REACTION WOULD BE TO EXTENDING RARET'S PRESENT CONTRACT FOR ONE OR TWO YEARS. HE ADDED SOME PAYMENT WOULD BE NECESSARY FOR ADDITIONAL PERIOD BUT COULD BE WORKED OUT. HE STRESSED THIS WAS INFORMAL PROPOSAL AND ASKED THAT IT BE CLOSELY HELD. I TOLD HIM WE WOULD CHECK OUT HIS SUGGESTION AND BE BACK IN TOUCH.

3. ACTION REQUESTED: WOULD APPRECIATE BIB/DEPARTMENT REACTION TO CUNHA REGO'S IDEA. HE DID NOT ELABORATE ON MODALITY OF EXTENDING PRESENT CONTRACT. IT MIGHT BE POSSIBLE, HOWEVER, TO INCLUDE OUR PRINCIPAL
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